

Laura Rispoli

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profile

Experienced with print and web design on both Mac and PC platforms. Effective team player skilled in layout, graphics, and illustration. Former manager noted: "Laura is one of the most talented designers I have had the pleasure to work with, and our entire staff depended on her creativity, reliability, and responsibility daily."

experience

May 2009 - October 2009 Graphic Designer - Gannett Co. - Design and layout of *The Islander*, a weekly entertainment guide to the New Jersey shore.

2004-present Sale of my original and custom-made artwork such as paintings, portraits, illustrations, logos, and designs to customers locally and worldwide through my websites www.laurarispoli.com and www.myspace.com/laura.rispoli/photos

education

Georgian Court University Lakewood, NJ
BFA Graphic Design and Illustration
Dean's Scholar GPA 3.7

Ocean County College Toms River, NJ
Associate of Arts
Honors GPA 3.7

Webmaster CS5 Certificate HTML, web design, My SQL, PHP, Adobe Flash animation, and marketing

Web Design Specialist Certificate Adobe Acrobat Professional 9, Cascading Style Sheets, Adv. Adobe Photoshop

professional art activities

Layout Designer, Editor & Illustrator of *Fountain Spray* Centennial Edition of Georgian Court University's Art and Literature Magazine.

Illustrator of *The Christmas Tree*, a children's book written by Dr. G. Velasquez.

computer skills

Proficient in Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, Bridge, InDesign, Flash, Dreamweaver, My SQL, Quark Xpress, and Microsoft Office. Experience with both PC and Mac.

selected coursework

Typography & Graphic Design Utilized illustrative, design, and computer skills to create logos, editorial spreads & covers, print ads, posters, postcards, package designs, book illustrations & layout.

Web Design Design and creation of website using Adobe Dreamweaver, Flash & Fireworks.

Professional Practices in Advertising Created branding and promotional applications for business.